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In re application of:

Benjamin OSHLACK, et al.

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Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is a Notice of Appeal in the above-identified application.

- [] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
 - Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
- [X] No fee for additional claims is required.
 - A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

| | (Col. 1) | (Col. 2) | _ | SMALL ENTITY | | LARGE ENTITY |
|----------------|-------------|-------------|-----------|--------------|----|--------------|
| FOR: | REMAINING | HIGHEST | L | RATE FEE | OR | RATE FEE |
| | AFTER | PREVIOUSLY | PRESENT | | _ | |
| | AMENDMENT | PAID FOR | EXTRA | _ | | |
| TOTAL CLAIMS | 38 Minu | ıs 41 = | 0 | x \$ 9 \$ | | x \$ 18 \$ |
| INDEP. CLAIMS | 11 Minu | s_ 12 = | 0 | x \$ 42 \$ | | x \$ 84 \$ |
| [] FIRST PRES | ENTATION OF | MULTIPLE DE | EP. CLAIM | + \$140 \$ | | + \$280 \$ |
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TOTAL: \$

OR TOTAL:

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- If the entry in Co. 1 is less than the entry in Col. 2, write "0" in Col. 3.
- ** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 20, write "20" in this space.
- *** If the "Highest Number Previously Paid For" IN THIS SPACE is less than 3, write "3" in this space.
- [X] Also transmitted herewith are:
 - [X] Petition for two month extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - [] Other:
- [X] Check(s) in the amount of \$640.00 is/are attached to cover:
 - [] Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
 - [X] Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
 - [X] Other: Notice of Appeal
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
 - [X] Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
 - [X] Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
 - [X] Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR

1.136.

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